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Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	_____
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Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)

Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)

Multiple dependent claims

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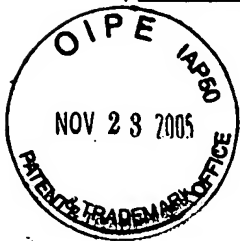
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Re: Electric Drive Mower With Trailed Auxiliary Power Source
Patent No. 6,938,400, Serial No. 10/797,521
HDP Case No. 3191J-000003/DVB

Sir:

We have reviewed the above-identified patent and have found the following errors, which appear to require a Certificate of Correction:

Column 4, line 27 (application page 7, line 20), after "to" insert --a--.

Column 4, line 66 (amendment dated 10/13/04, page 2, line 4), "receive" should be --receiving--.

Column 5, line 50 (application page 10, line 7), after "such" insert --as--.

Column 6, line 40 (application page 11, line 22), "causes" should be --causing--.

Column 9, line 42 (application page 17, line 16), "hinged" should be --hinge--.

Column 11, line 42 (application page 21, line 14), "received" should be --receive--.

Column 12, line 50 (application page 23, line 19), after "338" insert --and--.

Column 13, line 17 (application page 24, line 19), delete "which".

Column 14, line 5 (application page 26, line 10), delete 2nd and 3rd occurrence of "A7 and A8" and substitute --B7 and B8 and C7 and C8-- therefor.

Column 14, line 35 (application page 27, line 7), "the" should be --to--.

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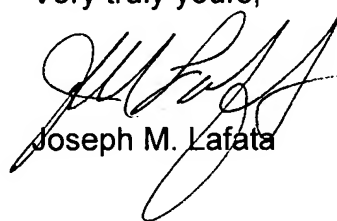
Column 15, line 64 (amendment dated 10/13/04, page 4, line 11), "a" should be --an--.

Column 16, line 4 (amendment dated 10/13/04, page 4, line 15), "section 455c" should be --section 456c--.

Column 16, line 45 (application page 29, line 7), delete "a".

Enclosed herewith is an original and a copy of the Patent and Trademark Office Certificate of Correction form, which we request be approved for the above-identified patent.

Very truly yours,



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PATENT NO : 6,938,400

DATED : September 6, 2005

INVENTOR(S) : Alan R. Fillman et al.

It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent are hereby corrected as shown below:

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